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40th Year Marked by Notable Advances

Graduation on the triangle on a perfect May day with a record number of 82 candidates for degrees signaled the close of the 1969-70 academic year, Bryan's fortieth. A resolution adopted the previous day in the meeting of the board of trustees pointed up three of the factors which have made this past year a banner year in Bryan's history: accreditation, fiscal encouragement, and increased enrollment.

Accreditation was received on Dec. 3, 1969, when Bryan was voted into the membership of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Already the effect of this important achievement is being felt.

Fiscal encouragement comes from the fact that since the beginning of the academic year in September, the college has been able to liquidate more than \$600,000 in short term debts. This indebtedness was incurred primarily in providing the new academic facilities and the gymnasium and from increased operating fund expenditures, resulting in two operating deficits, all carried out to help Bryan become accredited. This fiscal encouragement has been made possible through gifts in the special accreditation fund (some \$170,000 in cash paid against commitments of slightly over \$300,000), a regular operating gift income which has equalled the average of such income for the past five years, and the partial settlement of the Summers Estate of Chattanooga.

The encouragement in enrollment comes about because of a 23% increase to date in new student applications over this date last year. Retention of continuing students has been good also. For this factor to have its desired effect next year, however, the improvement in the enrollment trend must hold through the summer.

Not the least of the encouragements of this fortieth year has been the

spiritual revival on campus. Two faculty members gave an assessment of this experience which has touched numerous Christian colleges during the winter and spring.

Other specifics of the May 18 board of trustees meeting included 1) adoption of guidelines governing relationships in communication within the college community and the college community in relation to the board of trustees, especially in the area of grievances, complaints, and controversy; 2) adoption of a "Code of Conduct, Freedom, and Responsibility at Bryan College"; 3) election of two faculty members to tenure, Glen H. Liebig, assistant professor of Spanish, and Alan Winkler, assistant professor of Christian education; 4) voting of the first merit increase in faculty salary to Russell Porcella, joint winner of the student body Teacher-of-the-Year Award, and who was also promoted from instructor to assistant professor after two years of teaching; 5) election of three new trustees: Dr. C. Markham Berry, Atlanta; Morris Brodsky, Fincastle, Va.; and Albert J. Page, Huntsville, Ala.; and the nomination of three other trustees.

The board meeting also constituted Phase III of the 1969-70 U. S. Office of Education EPDA Institute for In-Service Training for Administrators and Trustees of Small Colleges, with Dr. Roger J. Voskuyl, executive director of the Council for the Advancement of Small Colleges, serving as consultant. Dr. Voskuyl also gave the commencement address entitled "Accountability in Education," which will be carried in a future issue of the *Bryan Blueprint*.

Trustee Dies in March Automobile Accident

W. Gettys Guille, a trustee of Bryan College since 1959, was killed in an automobile accident on March 14 at Salisbury, N. C., where he had lived since 1926. Born in Athens, Tenn., he was a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Davidson College. His father, Dr. George E. Guille, was the first president of Bryan College.



W. Gettys Guille

A banker for many years, Mr. Guille later operated a builders' supply company; and since his retirement from business, he had pursued his lifelong interest in farming. His Christian and civic interests were many, including the Reformed Theological Seminary of Jackson, Miss., the *Southern Presbyterian Journal*, Bethel Colony of Mercy, Lenoir, N. C., on whose boards he served as director; the Salvation Army, of which he served as member of the board and chairman of the board in Rowan County for 39 years; Gideons; American Red Cross; and Rotary.

Survivors in his immediate family include his widow, the former Alice Slater Cannon; and daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Alice Bruce and Esther; and a sister, Mrs. Henry Henegar, Knoxville.

With the death of Mr. Guille, Bryan loses a connection with the institution's earliest leadership. He was a faithful and devoted trustee and, in the best sense of that phrase, a Christian gentleman. Mr. Guille's funeral service, which was attended by Bryan's President Mercer, was reported to be a spiritual benediction.

**SUMMER BIBLE
CONFERENCE
JULY 25-31**

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Class of 1970

1. Bell, Randall, Pompano Beach, Fla., *History*
2. Birch, Nancy, Dayton, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
3. Broughton, Judy, Soddy, Tenn., *Christian Education*
4. *Cannon, Gladys, Crossville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
5. Chaplin, William, Wheat Ridge, Colo., *History*
6. Chappell, Carvis, Cordele, Ga., *Chemistry*
7. Coulter, Curtis, Sale Creek, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
8. Cramer, Stephen, Findlay, Ohio, *Greek*
9. Crandall, Marilyn, Bradenton, Fla., *Elementary Education*
10. Crosbie, June, Neptune, N. J., *Music Education*
11. Cvacho, Daniel, Richmond, Va., *Biology*
12. Danielson, Edward, San Diego, Calif., *Spanish*
13. Durham, Patricia, Norwood, Ohio, *English*
14. Estabrook, Robert, Muscatine, Iowa, *Bible*
15. Everett, Sue, Knoxville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
16. Ferguson, Margaret, Augusta, Mont., *Elementary Education*
17. Folden, Robert, Tacoma, Wash., *Christian Education*
18. Frank, Leroy, Cleveland, Ohio, *Business Administration*
19. Gaehring, Charles, Medford, N. J., *Bible*
20. Garrett, Wynn Ann, Miami, Fla., *Elementary Education*
21. Gassman, Doreen, Paris, Ohio, *Biology*
22. Geesey, Karl, Atlanta, Ga., *Biology*
23. Gunn, Bonita, Wadena, Minn., *Elementary Education*
24. Hammond, Kathlynn, Streetsboro, Ohio, *Elementary Education*
25. Harris, Eva, Dayton, Tenn., *English*
26. Harrow, Roy, Dover, Del., *Mathematics*
27. Harthan, Stephen, Cohasset, Minn., *Greek*
28. Haught, David, Paris, Ill., *Elementary Education*
29. Hays, Carolyn, Bradenton, Fla., *Christian Education*
30. Heath, Robert, Merritt Island, Fla., *Physical Education*
31. Hedlund, Robert, Gates, Ore., *Elementary Education*
32. Henderson, Stephen, Crossville, Tenn., *Business Administration*
33. Henry, Elizabeth, Sevierville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
34. Higgins, Naomi, Dayton, Tenn., *Biology*
35. Hill, Warren, Dayton, Tenn., *Physical Education*
36. Hodges, Jane Ellen, Dayton, Tenn., *Mathematics*
37. Jenkins, Harold, Etlan, Va., *English*
38. Jensen, Dennis, Cooperstown, N. Dak., *Elementary Education*
39. Jepson, Philip, Bellevue, Wash., *History*
40. Karvonen, Russell, Suffern, N. Y., *Christian Education*
41. Keefer, Thomas, Martin, Tenn., *English*
42. Kiser, Keith, Cleveland, Ohio, *Greek*
43. Klose, Frank, Nassau, N. Y., *Business Administration*
44. Llewellyn, Robert, Sebring, Fla., *Bible*
45. Long, Jane, Johnstown, Ohio, *Elementary Education*
46. Lukridge, Joyce, Willow Grove, Pa., *English*
47. Margene, Timothy, Ontario, Calif., *History*
48. Massengale, Beverly, Dayton, Tenn., *Elementary Education*

49. McCarrell, Beverly, Glenview, Ill., *Elementary Education*
50. McCarthy, Clarice, Niles, Mich., *Elementary Education*
51. McFarland, Catherine, Grove City, Pa., *Business Administration*
52. McIntyre, Roger, Pretoria, S. Af., *Bible*
53. Miller, Randall, Waymart, Pa., *History*
54. Morris, Samuel, Greenville, S. C., *Christian Education*
55. Myers, Connie, Creighton, Nebr., *Elementary Education*
56. Norman, Elizabeth, Evensville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
57. *Parham, Susie, Pikeville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
58. Phillips, Roger, Parkersburg, W. Va., *English*
59. Reese, John, Crooked Creek, Pa., *History*
60. Richmond, Cecelia, Roanoke, Va., *Elementary Education*
61. Rinck, Judy, Brookfield, Ohio, *Elementary Education*
62. Robinson, Charlotte, Jacksboro, Tenn., *Christian Education*
63. Ross, Mary, Dayton, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
64. Rouse, John, Campbell, N. Y., *Bible*
65. Rowsey, Vickie, Huntington, W. Va., *English*
66. Simpson, Lee, Jacksonville, Fla., *Biology*

67. Sims, Leslie, Newport News, Va., *Greek*
68. *Smith, Billie Vann, Crossville, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
69. Smith, Diane, Hendersonville, N. C., *Elementary Education*
70. Stone, Paul, Antioch, Tenn., *Elementary Education*
71. Stone, Rosemary, St., Albans, W. Va., *English*
72. Suzuki, Reiko, Shi Shizueka, Ken, Japan, *History*
73. Trivette, Johnnie, Johnson City, Tenn., *Mathematics*
74. Van Puffelen, Darlene, Bradley, W. Va., *Elementary Education*
75. Veon, Roderick, Darlington, Pa., *History*
76. Welton, Marilyn, Mercer, Pa., *Elementary Education*
77. Wicks, La Verne, Ft. Myers, Fla., *Business Administration*
78. Wilcox, Mary Lee, Miami, Fla., *Elementary Education*
79. Wilson, William, Bradenton, Fla., *Chemistry*
80. Wipplinger, Kathy, Jamison, Pa., *Music Education*
81. Wylie, Gerald, Traverse City, Mich., *Bible*
82. Young, John, Aliquippa, Pa., *Bible*

* Not pictured

Academic, Athletic, and Other Leadership Awards Presented

Special honors were awarded to 18 of the 82 members in the class of 1970 during the 37th graduation exercises. Leading the honorees was Harold Jenkins of Etlan, Va., a summa cum laude graduate who received the faculty prize for the highest scholastic record achieved during attendance at Bryan, as well as the highest scores in the Undergraduate Record Examinations both in the general area and in the field of English. This is especially significant in the light of his responsibilities during his senior year as Student Senate president and yearbook editor. Harold has been awarded a scholarship of \$1,500 for each of four years to study medicine at the University of Virginia.

Representing the eight history majors this year, John Reese of Crooked Creek, Pa., received the award for the highest grades in his department, second place honors for the area URE scores; and he was also granted the P. A. Boyd prize for a senior man in recognition of his leadership, citizenship and academic ability.

Another multiple award winner is Jane Ellen Hodges, Dayton, who was recognized for the highest academic honors in the mathematics department and to receive the P. A. Boyd prize for a senior woman. Her degree was conferred magna cum laude.

An award from the Bible department for a student preparing for fulltime Christian service and one outstanding in Bible studies was presented to Stephen Cramer, Findlay, Ohio.

Darlene Van Puffelen, Bradley, W. Va., who was graduated magna cum laude, received a senior essay award from Dr. J. Wesley McKinney, chairman of the Board.

Jackie Morris, of Greenville, S. C., was recognized for being the outstanding student in the Christian education department with its six majors. He has recently been appointed to the position of Christian education director at the First Baptist Church in Dayton.

Special faculty prizes were given to June Crosbie, of Neptune, N. J., for faithfulness and loyalty to the college, and to Warren Hill, Dayton, for the most progress during his years at Bryan.

The student teacher award provided by Mrs. E. B. Arnold for the best prospective teacher from the class was presented to Joyce Lukridge, Willow Grove, Pa., a graduate cum laude. Also in the education department Mary Lee Wilcox, magna cum laude, of Miami, Fla., earned recognition for having achieved a grade in the 99 percentile for her Undergraduate Record Exam in the field of education, with honor graduate Diane Morgan Smith, summa cum laude, Hendersonville, N. C., following in a very close second position. Mrs. Smith has been teaching since February in the Evensville elementary school.

Other graduates to receive their degrees with honors were: Stephen Harthan, cum laude, Cohasset, Minn.; Thomas Keefer, cum laude, Martin, Tenn.; Rosemary Katherine Stone, cum laude, St. Albans, W. Va.; Gerald Wylie, cum laude, Traverse City, Mich.; Wynn Ann Garrett, cum laude, Miami, Fla.; Cecelia Richmond, cum laude, Roanoke, Va.; and Kathleen Wipplinger, cum laude, Jamison, Pa.

By choice of the freshman class, senior Dennis Jensen, Cooperstown, N. D., was given the prize for the strongest testimony and influence on them this year.

Several underclassmen were also awarded honors at a special awards chapel near the end of the year. P. A. Boyd prizes for citizenship were given to junior Connie Blake, Strawberry Plains, Tenn., to sophomore Beckie Conrad, Landour, India, and to freshman Brent Ferguson, Trenton, Ga.

The English department gave awards for a literary contest to two students for poetry, Marcia Stewart, Lake Alfred, Fla., and Bryan Shelley, Asheville, N. C. Freshman term paper awards went to Annette Henderson, Crossville, Tenn., Karen Brodsky, Fincastle, Va., and Ray Locy, Takoma Park, Md.

Two other freshmen to be honored included Tim Murphy, Palatine, Ill., for the highest achievement in first year chemistry and David Wolfe, Wheaton, Ill., for the highest achievement in first year mathematics.

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Summer Tour Announced

The 1970 summer tour group for Bryan is composed of a mixed quartet under the direction of Miss Virginia Seguine, college librarian and accompanist for the student musicians.

The team as pictured at right includes (left to right standing): Marion Gray, a rising sophomore from Forest Park, Ga.; Miss Seguine; Gerald Wylie, a 1970 graduate from Traverse City, Mich.; and seated, Miss Gail Hamilton, a rising senior from Jamestown, N. Y.; and Miss Brenda Wikoff, a rising senior from Cincinnati, Ohio.

The itinerary is starting this summer on June 14 in New York state and taking a westward course for nine weeks as far west as Iowa and Minnesota, concluding on August 16 in the Cincinnati, Ohio, area.

The itinerary as completed at press time includes the following:

Sunday, June 14, 7:30 p.m.

Fluvanna Community Church
Jamestown, New York

Tuesday, June 16,

South Hills Baptist Church
Erie, Pennsylvania

Wednesday, June 17, 7:30 p.m.

Poland Village Baptist Church
Poland, Ohio

Thursday, June 18, 7:45 p.m.

The Little Church in the Vale
Gates Mills, Ohio

Friday, June 19, 7:30 p.m.

Bible Baptist Church
Ashtabula, Ohio

Sunday, June 21, 10:45 a.m.

Bethlehem Baptist Church
Cleveland, Ohio

Sunday, June 21, 7:30 p.m.

Oak Ridge United Presbyterian Church
Wellsville, Ohio

Tuesday, June 23, 7:30 p.m.

Goss Memorial Church
Akron, Ohio

Wednesday, June 24, 7:00 p.m.

Calvary Bible Church
Mansfield, Ohio

Thursday, June 25

New Bethel Christian Union Church
Croton, Ohio

Saturday, June 27, 7:30 p.m.

Hartford Area Crusade
Hartford, Michigan

Sunday, June 28, 11:00 a.m.

Hartford Federated Church
Hartford, Michigan

Sunday, June 28, 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Eaton Rapids, Michigan

Monday & Tuesday, June 29 & 30

Gull Lake Bible Conference
Hickory Corners, Michigan

Wednesday, July 1, 7:30 p.m.

Emmanuel Grace Wesleyan Church
Lansing, Michigan



M. Gray, V. Seguine, G. Wylie,
G. Hamilton, B. Wikoff

Sunday, July 5, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Grace Bible Church
Elmhurst, Illinois

Sunday, July 5, 7:00 p.m.

Midwest Bible Church
Chicago, Illinois

Tuesday, July 7, 7:45 p.m.

East Troy Bible Church
East Troy, Wisconsin

Wednesday, July 8, 7:30 p.m.

Wausau Bible Church
Wausau, Wisconsin

Thursday, July 9, 7:00 p.m.

Emmanuel Evangelical
Congregational Church
Sheboygan, Wisconsin

Friday, July 10, 7:45 p.m.

Faith Baptist Church
New London, Wisconsin

Saturday, July 11, 7:45 p.m.

Youth-A-Rama Rally
Lancaster, Wisconsin

Sunday, July 12, 11:00 a.m.

Maple Ridge Bible Church
Boscobel, Wisconsin

Sunday, July 12, 7:30 p.m.

Peoples Church
Beloit, Wisconsin

Tuesday, July 14, 7:30 p.m.

Calvary Bible Church
Milford, Illinois

Wednesday, July 15, 7:00 p.m.

Pekin Bible Church
Pekin, Illinois

Thursday, July 16, 7:30 p.m.

Pleasant View Baptist Church
Pleasant Valley, Iowa

Friday, July 17, 8:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Waukon, Iowa

Saturday, July 18, All day outing

Youth for Christ
Rochester, Wisconsin

Tuesday, July 21, 8:00 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Winona, Minnesota

Wednesday, July 22,

University Avenue Congregational Church
St. Paul, Minnesota

Sunday, July 26, 8:15 & 10:45 a.m.

First Presbyterian Church
Sioux City, Iowa

Sunday, July 26, 7:00 p.m.

Sioux City Baptist Church
Sioux City, Iowa

Tuesday, July 28, 7:30 p.m.

Blue Ridge Bible Church
Kansas City, Missouri

Wednesday, July 29, 7:30 p.m.

Calvary Bible Church
Wichita, Kansas

Thursday, July 30, 8:00 p.m.

Mennonite Brethren Church
Fairview, Oklahoma

Saturday, August 1, 7:30 p.m.

St. Louis Youth for Christ
St. Louis, Missouri

Wednesday, August 5, 7:30 p.m.

Southern View Chapel
Springfield, Illinois

Sunday, August 9, 10:40 a.m.

The United Methodist Church
Anna, Illinois

Sunday, August 9, 7:30 p.m.

Beaucoup Baptist Church
Pinckneyville, Illinois

Wednesday, August 12, 7:00 p.m.

Oak Hill Presbyterian Church
Evansville, Indiana

Thursday, August 13,

Berean Bible Church
Columbus, Indiana

Sunday, August 16, 10:45 a.m.

Elsmere Baptist Church
Erlanger, Kentucky

AWARDS PRESENTED

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By vote of the students two teachers were recognized for the "Teacher of the Year" award: Russell Porcella, instructor in Biology, and Dr. Irving L. Jensen, professor of Bible.

Athletic Honors

Bryan's athletes were honored at the annual banquet on May 9. Among those receiving trophies were the most valuable players in various sports. These included Steve Roddy, Wyoming, Ohio, basketball; Bill Chaplin, Wheat Ridge, Colorado, in soccer; Ray Locy, Takoma Park, Md., in baseball; Paul Bishop, Chattanooga, Tenn., in track; and Russell Karvonen of Suffern, New York, in cross-country.

Other awards for most improved performance in track included Ed Kneisley, Johnstown, Ohio; and in cross-country, John Trivette, Johnson City, Tenn.

In soccer and baseball Paul Stone, Antioch, Tenn., was given the sportsmanship award and Gerald Wylie, Traverse City, Mich., the most improved.

In baseball additional honors went to Ned Berwager, Hanover, Pa., best defensive player, and to Charlie Gaehring, best offensive player.

In basketball Tim Margene, Little Rock, Calif., earned a special award for becoming an all-time scoring leader at Bryan with a four-year record of 1,075 points formerly held by Coach Dixon who graduated in 1964. The outstanding basketball player trophy went to Warren Hill, Dayton, Tenn.

A new award this year for a freshman with the most promise for the future in basketball was given to Ray Locy in addition to his basketball trophy.

In addition to the fifteen awards to outstanding athletes, fifty letters were given to participants in the four intercollegiate sports and to the cheerleaders.

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BRYAN COLLEGE ALUMNI NEWS



Thomas Taylor



Jean Tobelmann



Robert Murphey

ALUMNI FEATURED AS CONFERENCE SPEAKERS AND MUSICIANS

Thomas Taylor '54, associate professor of Old Testament and practical theology at Faith Theological Seminary, brings new light on Old Testament truths for present application. The Taylor family including Ruth (Sutton) '51 and their five children will be conference guests.

Jean (Sentz) '60 Tobelmann of Belpre, Ohio, will be soprano soloist and director for the youth and children's choirs. She has been active in musical expression in the churches she has attended since graduation at Bryan. Her husband, Jonathan, is an engineer; they have two daughters.

Robert Murphey '50, new pastor of Palatine Bible Church in Illinois following a long pastorate in Michigan City, Indiana, is representing the twenty-year Bryan alumni and is also a graduate of Dallas Theological Seminary. Kathy and Tim Murphey are honor students at Bryan. Mr. Murphey will be accompanied by his wife, the former Ruth Currie x'51 and the younger children.

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Donald Weltmer

Donald Weltmer '56, pastor of the Grace Fellowship Church, Ephrata, Pa., will be the children's speaker for the evening sessions. He uses an extensive collection of magical apparatus to illustrate Bible and moral truths. He is a graduate of Grace Theological Seminary. Mrs. Weltmer and their children plan to share in the family conference.

The 9:45 morning sessions will have as speakers members of the class of 1960 as follows:

Rev. Jerry Day, pastor of Berean Bible Church, Columbus, Ind.

Rev. Clarence Schultz, pastor of Immanuel Evangelical Congregational Church, Sheboygan, Wis.

Rev. Dale Comstock, St. Joseph, Mich.

Rev. Alan Winkler, head of the Christian education department at Bryan.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY

2:00 p.m. Registration
6:00 p.m. Picnic Supper
7:45 p.m. Film

SUNDAY

8:30 a.m. Breakfast
10:00 a.m. Local churches
12:30 noon Dinner
3:00 p.m. CONCERT
5:30 p.m. Supper
7:00 p.m. Local churches
9:00 p.m. Missionary Film

SCHEDULE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7:45 a.m.	B R E A K F A S T				
9:45 a.m.	Winkler	Comstock	Schultz	Wives	Day
10:45 a.m.	Murphey	Taylor	Weltmer	Taylor	Murphey
12:00 noon	L U N C H				
Afternoon (Outing and Recreation)	Oak Ridge Museum or Cumberland State Park	Lost Sea	Fall Creek Falls State Park	Alumni Anniversary Reunions '50 '60	Rock City or Ruby Falls
6:00 p.m.	D I N N E R				
7:30 p.m.	Taylor	Murphey	Taylor	Murphey	7:00 Concert Taylor
9:00 p.m.	FELLOWSHIP HOUR . . . MISSIONARY PICTURES . . . REFRESHMENTS				

CONFERENCE COSTS

Room and Board for entire session:

Adults	\$32.50 each
Adults (2 or more in one family)	27.50 each
Children (3 through 11)	20.00 each
Children (2 and under)	no charge

Daily Rates:

	Adults	Children
Room	\$4.00	\$2.50
Breakfast	.75	.50
Lunch	1.00	.75
Dinner	1.25	.85

Linens (sheets, pillow case, towels) will be furnished; guests should bring pillow and blankets if desired.

SPECIAL FEATURES

- ✓ Picnic supper on campus on opening Saturday night. Local area friends bring covered dish.
- ✓ Sacred concerts at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, 7:00 p.m. Friday.
- ✓ Group outing at Fall Creek Falls State Park with swimming and hiking followed by picnic supper on Wednesday.
- ✓ Swimming daily at Cumberland Springs Bible Camp pool. Adults \$.40; Children \$.25.
- ✓ Air-conditioned dining hall, dormitories, and conference room.
- ✓ Choice of other sight-seeing opportunities include many historical and scenic points in the area.

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WHEN DO YOU EXPECT TO DEPART FROM BRYAN? DAY: _____ APPROX. HOUR: _____

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TEACHERS DOMINATE ALUMNI NEWS

Wayne and Catherine (Marshall) '48 Holbrook have moved to Vermilion, Ohio. Catherine completed courses at Kent State last June for her degree in education and is teaching fourth grade this year at Valleyview. The Holbrooks have two daughters, Faye and Patty.

Wayne Funderburg '60 is teaching first grade in Norway, Michigan, and pastoring the Maple Grove Covenant Church at Tipler, Wisconsin, just across the border from his home.

Leopold Zaleta '62 is teaching in public school in New Jersey and enjoys this work. His wife, Vicki, is from Mexico City. They have a daughter, Lisa Elena.

Carole (Bomgaars) x'66 and Gordon Brown are living in Muskegon, Mich., and attending the Spring Lake Baptist Church. Carole is not teaching this year but caring for 18-mo. old Holly and working two evenings a week as nurse in the intensive care unit at Hackley Hospital.

John '68 and Naomi (Cox) x'70 Corcoran are living in Richmond, Va., where John is teaching at the Richmond Christian School and planning to work on the master's degree at the University of Richmond.

Jean Blount '69 is teaching fifth graders at Hampton, Va., public school and Karen Mahoney '69 is teaching the first grade. They are both attending night school under a state program in Virginia. Jean is choir director at her church and director of 10-13 year olds plus being church pianist.

Priscilla Strube '69 is teaching second grade at Jupiter Christian School just north of West Palm Beach.

Frances (Hogue) Cheers '60 and Ryland Donald '65 were given special recognition as honor students at the Academic Awards Banquet on May 7 at Middle Tennessee State University where they are enrolled in a graduate program.



Alan Johnson '57 is teaching this year at Wheaton College in the Bible department in the area of apologetics. After completing his doctoral work at Dallas Seminary, he taught several years at Moody Bible Institute. Pictured above are Alan and Rae Johnson with Jan, 14; Kris, 11; Lynn, 7, and Lisa, 5 years.

Wally Durham '69 is teaching U. S. History, government, and geography in Hicksville (Ohio) high school. He is also head

baseball coach. His government class received state and national publicity when they sent a petition of support to the President supporting his office. His class was on TV in Fort Wayne, Ind., and Toledo, Ohio. The class gave a Veterans' day assembly program called "Patriotism Day" which the superintendent called the best he recalled in his thirteen years as superintendent. Wally and his wife, Marilyn, are promoting Bryan among the young people they know.

Leslie R. Cox '64 has accepted a position as educational coordinator of the New Careers Program at Cleveland State Community College. Besides being a graduate of Bryan, Leslie received the B.S. from U.T., and the master's in education from Middle Tennessee State University. He and his wife, Beth Ann (Billey) '65 live in Athens, Tenn., where she is also teaching.

David Egner '61, professor of literature at Grand Rapids Baptist College, will be the tour director for a six-week European study-travel tour sponsored by Baptist Bible College. This will be his second summer tour.

Kent Austin '67 is teaching in the history department at Clearwater Christian College in Florida. He is also enrolled for graduate work at the University of South Florida.

Wayne '62 and Sharon Bomgaars are living in Muskegon, Mich., where Wayne is a consultant for elementary social studies, and is working towards another degree. They are members of Lake Harbor Baptist Church.

Walter Culbertson '64 became houseparent for nine high school boys in a cottage at Cherokee Boys' Estate in Dalton, Ga., while continuing his teaching at Dawnville Elementary School.

NEW MISSIONARY RECRUITS

Miriam Meyer '68, who has been teaching for two years at Delton, Mich., has been accepted for next year as a missionary teacher under The World Radio Missionary Fellowship to teach missionary children at Shell Mera, Ecuador. She expects to leave the States early in August.

Joel '51 and Pauline (Jewett) x'51 Kettenring will be attending candidate school in July as missionary appointees under Baptist Mid-Missions with the prospect of teaching at the Fairview Bible College in Jamaica. They are presently living in St. Paul, Minn., where Joel has been pastor of the Faith Baptist Church.

George '48 and Alice (Northrup) '45 Birch are scheduled to attend Mid-Missions candidate school at Cedarville College in Ohio in July with the prospect of teaching in the West Indies this fall. Their daughter, Nancy, a member of the Bryan class of 1970 expects to teach in Virginia.

Faith Isbell '69 was scheduled to leave New York on May 10, spend four days in Chicago, stop over in Seattle, Hong Kong, and Saigon, take a helicopter flight to Da Nang and on a jeep ride to Hoa Khanh Children's Hospital.

FURLOUGH REPORTS

Norma Jenkins '57 visited Bryan on May 8 in traveling through the South with her parents. She plans to return to Surinam in August.

Austin and Ellora (Caudill) '53 Lockhart and daughters returned early in May to West Irian to continue their missionary work under Unevangelized Fields Mission.

Lloyd and Floy (Meredith) x'55 Granburg are home for the summer from Jamaica under West Indies Mission. Their summer address is c/o Robert Meredith, Rt. 1, Dallas Rd., Powder Springs, Ga., 30073.

MILITARY HONORS



J. Anderson

John D. Anderson, '69 has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas. Lieutenant Anderson, selected for OTS through competitive examinations, has been assigned to Laughlin AFB, Tex., for pilot training.

Bill Freeman x'69 was awarded an air medal, highest honor, on Sept. 4, for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight in the Republic of Vietnam. In July he flew 25 missions in 5 days.

Robert Goodnough x'72 of Cheektowaga, N. Y., has joined the U. S. Naval Reserve which requires two years of active duty and two years of inactive duty at home.

PLACEMENT

First Baptist Church in Lincoln Park, Mich., needs Youth director to work under pastor and also to do some calling. Husband and wife team desired for this position.

Willow Park Baptist Church, Box 17383, Memphis, Tenn., is looking for a person to serve as youth director and choir director. Rev. John Seaton is the pastor.

The Huntington, W. Va., City Mission seeks a children's worker or couple with no children to assist with the mission outreach. Living quarters, meals, small allowance and several fringe benefits provided.

The Union Rescue Mission in Fairmont, W. Va., desires a college graduate or a couple who would be interested in City Mission work with a wide outreach. Ministry includes men, boys and girls, and youth with Bible clubs, rallies, retreats, V.B.S., and summer camps. Requisites are a genuine love for people and some administrative ability.

Pastor is needed for an IFCA church in Winona, Minn. Church facilities are good and parsonage is furnished for pastor.

ALUMNI NEWS

BIRTHS

To Edward and *Maureen (Hay)* '58 *Read* in Jasper, Mo., a daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, on January 25. She joins her year old brother James Edward, who was born January 6, 1969, but not reported previously to Bryan alumni.

To *Cary* '58 and *Verna Perdue* in Oak Ridge, Tenn., a daughter, Carlene, on December 31, 1969. Carrie, Carla, and Caris completes the quartet of girls.

To *Dan* '66 and *Carol Amsler* in Torrance, Calif., a daughter, Jennifer Suzanne, on April 7. Dan is pastor of the South Bay Evangelical Free Church.

To *Andrew* '67 and *Earline (Earhart)* '67 *Stanciliff* their first child, John Mark, in Manheim, Pa., on March 10.

To *Robert* '68 and *Diane Mathisen* in Knoxville, Tenn., a son, Jeffrey Robert, on January 17. Bob is assistant pastor at Berean Bible Church while pursuing graduate studies at the University of Tennessee.

To *Arthur* '69 and *Sandra Porcella* a daughter, Tina Marie, on April 4, in Miami, Florida.

To *John* and *Joyce (Wilson)* x'70 *Alt-feltis* a daughter, Lorinda Kay, on November 16, 1969, at Greenville, S. C.

To *Ronald* '68 and *Inga (Stenberg)* '68 *Neely* a daughter, Kristina Ann, on April 12 in Davison, Mich.

WEDDINGS

Mary Frances Jewell '68 to Frank Farnsworth at the Ogden Baptist Church on March 21. Mary Frances is teaching at Evensville School in Rhea County and Frank is employed in Chattanooga with Southern Blow Pipe and Roofing Co.

Barbara Shedd '67 to Herman Posey in a home wedding in Dayton on March 22. The Poseys reside in Chattanooga where Barbara continues her teaching at Ganns-Middle Valley Elementary School in Hamilton County while Herman works at Mueller Mfg. Co., in Chattanooga.

Randall K. Travis '69 and *Patricia Ann Nelms* x'71 in LaFrance Baptist Church, LaFrance, S. C., on March 28.

Marion Ellen Lomas x'73 to J. Wayne Shank on March 28 at First Methodist Church in Orlando, Florida.

John Eastman '66 to Barbara Jean Elliott at Northwest Presbyterian Church in Dallas, Texas, on May 16.

Randall Martin Miller '70 to *Judith Marlene Rinck* '70 at Bryan College Chapel on May 19.

Miranda Yen Hoang x'71 to Kuorkew Lin on May 24 in Berkeley, Calif.

Curtis Coulter '70 to *Alice Kay Yates* '74 at North Euclid Church of God in Bay City, Mich., on May 29.

Layne Roberts '69 to *Gilda Griswold* x'73 at Sylvania Heights Baptist Church in Miami, Fla., on June 6.

Larry Dale Conners '69 to *Kathleen Joyce Wells* x'71 at Northfield Baptist Church in Northfield, Ohio, on June 6.

William Roger Wilson '70 to *Lynn Kathleen Page* x'70 on June 13 in Pennsville, N. J.

Richard Delvis Logsdon '69 to *Freda Lee Spores* '67 at Pleasant Hill Church of the Brethren in Blountville, Tenn., on June 13.

John Fortune x'71 to *Donna Marie Jenkins* '69 at First Baptist Church in Winnebago, Minn., on June 13.

DEATHS

Arthur Van Meeveren, former faculty member, who has been residing in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., died on March 19 after a lingering illness from cancer.

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The Tax Reform Act May Affect Your Will

The Tax Reform Act of 1969 introduces some new tax concepts in many different areas of tax liability—personal, business, investment, and estate taxes. However, our interest here is to consider only the impact of the Tax Reform Act upon your will insofar as the Federal tax liability is concerned. The extent of this liability may have been changed by the Tax Reform Act so that tax savings which were assumed under the prior law may be either diminished or entirely lost. Therefore, you should arrange to have your will reviewed by your lawyer to determine whether the will should be changed so as to preserve your tax savings.

Tax Benefits for Charitable Gifts

If your will provides for a gift to Bryan College, or some similar charitable organization, by means of a trust, there is a strong likelihood that the Tax Reform Act has increased the Federal estate tax liability, perhaps significantly. Unless the terms of the will are changed to incorporate the new concepts for charitable trusts, previous tax savings may be lost.

The Tax Reform Act continues to allow an estate tax deduction for a charitable gift only if the charitable remainder trust is either an ANNUITY TRUST, a UNITRUST, or a POOLED INCOME TRUST. Although more complicated than the old type of trust, these new types provide an excellent way for a donor to retain income from his gift, with the trust principal passing to a charitable institution upon the death of the income beneficiary. Since these new types of trust were discussed rather thor-

oughly in the last issue of the *Stewardship Planner*, we are reviewing only the highlights of Annuity Trust and the Unitrust here now.

Annuity Trust and Unitrust

An ANNUITY TRUST specifies in dollar terms (at least five percent of the fair market value of the transferred property) the amount of the annuity which is to be paid to the income beneficiary. The annuity trust is evidently an alternative rather than a substitute for the old classic charitable gift annuity. Under an annuity trust, the payments are required only so long as the trust has sufficient assets to make the payments; whereas, in the classic charitable gift annuity, the payments are backed by all of the charity's assets—not just the donor's gift.

A UNITRUST specifies that the income beneficiary is to receive annual payments based on a fixed percentage, which cannot be less than 5 percent of the net fair market value of the trust's assets valued annually. However, the unitrust contract may require the trustee to pay only the trust's income if the actual income is less than the stated percentage. Deficiencies in distributions, when the trust income is less than the stated percentage, must be made up in later years if the trust income exceeds the stated percentage.

In the old type of charitable trust, the trustee could be given the power to "invade" the principal for the benefit of the income beneficiary in the event of sickness, to meet emergency needs, and for other specified purposes. Under the new regulations for trust agreements, there can be no provision for invasion of principal for the benefit of the income beneficiary.

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The only invasion of principal permitted is to satisfy the fixed percentage or dollar payment stated in the agreement.

Effective Dates

Income and gift tax charitable deductions are no longer allowed for the old type charitable remainder trusts created after July 31, 1969. An estate tax charitable deduction will be allowed only for:

- (1) Irrevocable living charitable remainder trusts created before October 10, 1969.
- (2) Charitable remainder trusts created by wills in existence on October 9, 1969, if the testator dies before October 9, 1972, without having modified his will.
- (3) Property transferred in trust on or before October 9, 1969, if the will could not be modified thereafter because of the individual's mental disability.

If a tax savings through a charitable trust set up under the provisions of a will are to be preserved, the will must be changed to the extent that the trust form is either an annuity trust or a unitrust. If the testator is not incompetent and dies after October 9, 1972, leaving his will unchanged, the estate tax deduction for a gift to charity would apparently be irretrievably lost. The estate tax would be larger, and this would mean less of the estate would go to the beneficiaries.

Accumulation Trusts

The new rules apply, also, to accumulation trusts — trusts in which the trustee is authorized or directed to accumulate income and to distribute it, at a future time, to designated beneficiaries. This type of trust involves, mainly, the Federal income tax liability of the beneficiaries.

Under prior law the calculation of the tax liability to income beneficiaries of an accumulation trust was subject to highly technical and complex rules. The Tax Reform Act not only further complicates these rules but also increases the tax liability and

makes the administration of an accumulation trust unusually difficult. Those who have established accumulation trusts, whether living trusts or under a will, should decide whether to retain the trust, regardless of its general undesirability under the new law, or modify or dissolve it.

Other Reasons for Reviewing the Will

There are many other reasons besides tax considerations, for reviewing existing wills. Other events in your personal life which may have made your will, or portions of it, invalid are:

- A change in your marital status, or that of your beneficiaries.
- A significant increase or decrease in the size of your estate.
- A disposition by you of property which you bequeathed in your will to a particular person.
- The acquisition of real estate in another state.
- A change in the financial status of one or more of your beneficiaries.

Only a review of your will can reveal whether it has become out-of-date because your family or financial situation has changed. However, if it is necessary to make any change

in your will, it should be done under the supervision of your attorney. Do-it-yourself changes could make your entire will, or part of it, invalid.

Do not overlook the possibility of tax savings and increased benefits to your beneficiaries by making charitable gifts through your will. Additional information concerning wills may be secured without obligation by returning the attached coupon.

This information bulletin is published quarterly as an addendum to the NEWSETTE to provide friends of Bryan College with information that will assist them in their Christian stewardship. This section is perforated so that it may be easily detached and kept for future reference to information on estate planning, tax changes, and many other topics related to Christian giving.

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